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SUBJECT.

El Barrah - State Forest - Tulparum S/O.

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 El Barraha State Forest Sub-District : שם תיק : Tulkarm מ-4/4168 מזהה פנימי : מזהה פריט : 0006ybu כתובת : 2-108-5-10-1 תאריך הדפסה : 22/11/2017					
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ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO BE ADDRESSED TO
DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE
AND FORESTS.
JERUSALEM.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
FORESTS & FISHERIES,
AMERICAN COLONY,
JERUSALEM.

In your reply please quote

E/7/2/4-

No. Ag/

Telephone 1:- No. 622, JERUSALEM.

4th April, 1929

Subject: El-Barrah Forest Reserve (Proposed)
El Magharah " " "

Reference: Previous correspondence.

Inspector of Agriculture and Forests,
N. C. Haifa.

I attach copy of letter G/2/39-2683 dated
27th March, 1929 from Director of Lands. As the
areas in question are included within the boundaries
of Kushans held by private persons, proposals for
reservation will not be proceeded with.

H. L. L.
DEPUTY DIRECTOR.

Copy to : El Magharah File.

DY.



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C O P Y .

G/2/39-2683

27th March, 1929

Director,
Dept. of Agriculture & Forests,
Jerusalem.

Subject: El Barrah & El Magharah
proposed Forest Reserves-
Tulkarem

Reference: Your No. F/7/2/4 of
2nd February, 1929.

Both of the above mentioned areas are included
within the boundaries of kushans held by private persons.

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Sgd: DIRECTOR OF LANDS.

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C O P Y .

27th March, 1939

G/2/39-2063

Director,
Dept. of Agriculture & Forests,
Jerusalem.

Subject: El Barab & El Magharah
proposed Forest Reserves -
Tulkarem
Reference: Your No. F/W/2/4 of
2nd February, 1939.

Both of the above mentioned areas are included
within the boundaries of Khasana held by private persons.

Sd/-
DIRECTOR OF LANDS.

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MR
2nd February, 1929.
El Barraah & El Magharah
Proposed Forest-Reserves-
Tulkaram.

Reference: Your G.2/39-6132 dated
20th Nov. 1927.

DIRECTOR OF LANDS.

Delay in replying to your letter under
reference is regretted.

2. A copy of letter No. S/65 dated 30th
January, 1929 and copy of extract from the
Tabu Registration Office referred therein is
forwarded herewith.

3. I should be glad if you would advise
whether I may proceed to reservation of the
two areas in question.

for DIRECTOR OF
AGRICULTURE & FORESTS.



5 FEB. 1929

Copy to :

I. of A. & F. N. C.
F/7/13/8.

DY.

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Copies made to file 11/2/25
& to Rajah Bay -

RAJAH
5-2-29

WJ

2nd February, 1938.
To Mr. J. J. [unclear]
Proposed [unclear]
[unclear]
Reference: [unclear]
20th Nov. 1937.

WJ-21

DIRECTOR GENERAL

Reference is made to your letter of 19th Nov. 1937.

2. A copy of [unclear] is being sent to you for [unclear]
[unclear] and copy of [unclear] from the
[unclear] of the [unclear] is
[unclear].

3. I should be glad if you would advise
whether I may proceed to [unclear] of the
two [unclear] in question.

FOR DIRECTOR OF
REGISTRATION & INSPECTION

17/12/38
J. J. [unclear]



17 FEB 1938

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AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY OFFICE,
H A I F A .

No.S/65.

30th.January,1929.

Deputy Director of
Agriculture & Forests.

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Subject : El-Magharah Forest, Tulkarem.
El-Barrah " "
Reference: Your Ag/F/7/2/4, of 16-1-29.
Your Ag/F/13/8, of 16-1-29.

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Koushan held by the Tayan Family who claims
the Barrah Forest; and Samara Family who
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The Barrah forest, as early stated, is
an area of at least 2000 domums of sand
dunes covered by a fine wild carob forest.

The Magharah forest is an area of at least
1600 domums of nothing but sand dunes, covered
in parts by sarris.

The latter is a continuation of the
former forest; it stretches on the
Mediterranean coast, from Khudera lands to
Um Khalid.

I understand the Tayan family is
selling their land, and would probably try
to include the Barrah forest in the sale.

The Land Department's attention may be
brought to this ~~affair~~ fact.

The delay in sending the copies of the-Ken
Koushans is regretted, as it was thought that
the Registrar of Land at Tulkarem has sent
it direct to the Director of Lands, Jerusalem,
as a copy of the latter's letter was sent to
him.

M. Ragheb
SUB-INSPECTOR OF AGRICULTURE
AND FORESTS, HAIFA & SAMARIA.

Encls : 1.

Copy to :- El-Barrah Forest file, H.O., Jerusalem.
Two copies to :- Inspector of agriculture & Forests,
H.D., Haifa.
MR/K.A.



80 JAN. 1929

ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO BE ADDRESSED TO
DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE
AND FORESTS.
HAIFA

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
FORESTS & FISHERIES.
MT. CARMEL,

5th Reminder

HAIFA
16th January, 1929.

In your reply please quote

No. Ag: F/7/2/4-

Telephone : — No. 31 Haifa.

Subject: El Barrah Forest-Tulkaram.
Reference: My 209/2/10 dated 3rd
January, 1929.

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Inspector of Agriculture & Forests,
N. C. Haifa.

I should be glad if you would now
reply to my letter under reference and 4
subsequent reminders.

action taken
MF
H. J. Emir.
DEPUTY DIRECTOR.

DY.



17 JAN. 1929
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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
FOREST SERVICE
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Mr. [Name]

John [Name], [Address]

2000 [Address]
Reference: [Reference Number]
January, 1920

Director of Agriculture & Forestry
U. S. Office

I should be glad if you would now
reply to my letter under reference and
suggest any amendments.

[Handwritten signature]
J. H. [Name]

Very truly yours,
[Name]



ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO BE ADDRESSED TO
DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE
AND FORESTS,
JERUSALEM.

In your reply please quote

209/2/10

No. Ag/.....

Telephone :- No. 622, JERUSALEM.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
FORESTS & FISHERIES,
AMERICAN COLONY,
JERUSALEM.

3rd January, 1929 .

Subject El Barrah Forest-
Tulkarem .

Reference: My AG/209/2/10 of 23rd
Nov. 1927 .

Inspector of Agriculture & Forests,
N. C. Haifa.

I should be glad if you would now
reply to my letter under reference and 3
subsequent reminders.

*This letter was
not received by me;
it may be with
Raghib Bey -*

*RA.
51-29*

H. Linn

DEPUTY DIRECTOR .



ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO BE ADDRESSED TO
DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE
AND FORESTS.
HAIFA

In your reply please quote
No. Ag. 209/2/10.

Telephone : — No. 31 Haifa.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
FORESTS & FISHERIES.
MEXCARMEL
HAIFA Jerusalem.
13th. February, 1928.

Subject El Barrah Forest - Tulkarem.

~~Sub~~-Inspector of Agriculture
and Forests, N.C.,
HAIFA.

Ragheb Bey,
Passed to you please.
MA.

Please expedite ~~your~~ reply

to my letter numbered as above dated

10th. December, 1927.

DR/

7/2/28
DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE
AND FORESTS.



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15 FEB 1928

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Forest of Forest & Forest.

Tamil Nadu

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Subject: El Barrah Forest
Tulkaram.

1. This Barrah Forest is situated on the sea shore, ^{from the point} Tulkaram S/D. and consists of an area of about 2000 denoms. of pure & sandal trees & pods with small carrah trees. The depth of 4-5 meters.

2. Land was given to this office to plant forest since some years ago, and the ^{main purpose} of the cutting of the forest for fuel for the ^{house} was prohibited, and the ^{forest} now is in very good condition, and ^{the} ^{only} supply of wood for agriculture in the district.

3. The ^{main} ^{purpose} of the maintenance of the trees ^{is} ^{to} ^{serve} ^{well} ^{to} ^{the} ^{high} ^{land} ^{of} ^{the} ^{district} ^{and} ^{to} ^{the} ^{rest} ^{of} ^{the} ^{district} ^{by} ^{protecting} ^{some} ^{from} ^{land} ^{and} ^{some} ^{with} ^{the} ^{preservation} ^{of} ^{the} ^{forest} ^{land}.

4. This forest has been ^{actually} ^{under} ^{the} ^{management} ^{of} ^{the} ^{forest} ^{protection} ^{for} ^{the} ^{forest} ^{service} ^{since} ^{some} ^{years} ^{ago}, and now I ^{have} ^{to} ^{request} ^{that} ^{it} ^{should} ^{be} ^{included} ⁱⁿ ^{the} ^{forest} ^{revenue}.

and together for these four hours.

5. The boundaries are as follows.

West: The Mediterranean Sea.

South: a point on the sea ~~to~~ shore and follows a line to the East, bounding the cultivated lands of al-Bad' and then turning to the North until a point on the dune just at the East & South direction.

East: The boundary follows the same dunes at the edge of the forest and the cultivated lands of Wadi el Hawari.

North: The boundary follows starts at a point on the dune at the corner of the Eastern Northern boundaries follows the same dunes at the edge of the forest & the cultivated lands of Wadi el Hawari to the West direction & then to the Northern direction until meets Wadi el Hawari (River Iskandaroun) which bounds the forest from the North & Northern West.

6. Tayan family who have a claim on this forest holds a very large Kharab on Agriculture lands at Wadi el Hawari, intends to sell their lands in Wadi el Hawari village lands.

and counts in all the lands here included
these forest lands in the sale.

I then further request that this forest be gazetted
and included in the reservation. If they are not
included they may lose an action in the
courts, but personally I believe that Tayan
family will not bring a case in the courts, as
there is much doubt as to their ownership ^{over} all
the cultivated land in their possession.

Thus my reasons for recommending this forest are

- (a) That the claim of Tayan family is very vague
- (b) This forest is the only forest of this kind
the soil is not suitable for cultivation but for
of forestable wood for agricultural purposes
- (c) Reservation of the forest is necessary for the
benefit of the country. The natural
forest forms a good protection to the
agricultural lands on the side of the
forests.
- (d) The forest trees are big and old, and
will form a valuable revenue source to
the Govt.

Copy to 1/2 A & F. N.C.
Hailu

M. K. Raghunath
1/2 A & F. N.C.



F/7/2/4-544

18.
4th April, 1929
El-Barrah Forest Reserve (Proposed)
El Magharah

Reference: Previous correspondence.

Inspector of Agriculture and Forests,
N. C. Haifa.

I attach copy of letter G/2/39-2683 dated
27th March, 1929 from Director of Lands. As the
areas in question are included within the boundaries
of Kushans held by private persons, proposals for
reservation will not be proceeded with.

Y. J. TEAR
DEPUTY DIRECTOR.

Copy to : El Magharah File.

DY.

4th April, 1938
El-Barran Forest Reserve (Proposed)
El-Barran

W/12/4-

Reference: Previous correspondence.

Inspector of Agriculture and Forests,
W. C. Latta.

THE NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT

I enclose copy of letter of 1st April 1938
and also 1938 Forest Reserve Act. As the
area in question is included within the
of the Forest Reserve Act, 1938, proposals for
reservation are being considered with
reference to the 1938 Forest Reserve Act.



EL-BARRAN FOREST RESERVE

Copy to: El-Barran file.

M.

F/7/2/4-544

17
4th April, 1929
El-Barrah Forest Reserve (Proposed)
El Magharah

Reference: Previous correspondence.

Inspector of Agriculture and Forests,
N. C. Haifa.

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of Kushans held by private persons, proposals for
reservation will not be proceeded with.

F. J. TEAR
DEPUTY DIRECTOR.

Copy to : El Magharah File.

DY.

BY

C O P Y .

G/2/39-2683

27th March, 1929

Director,
Dept. of Agriculture & Forests,
Jerusalem.

Subject: El Barrah & El Magharah
proposed Forest Reserves-
Tulkarem

Reference: Your No. F/7/2/4 of
2nd February, 1929.

Both of the above mentioned areas are included
within the boundaries of kushans held by private persons.

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Sgd: DIRECTOR OF LANDS.

OFFICE

27th March, 1929

6/2/35-2663

Director,
Dept. of Agriculture & Forestry,
Jerusalem.

Subject: 21st March
General instructions
to the District
Officers, 1929.

Within the limits of the area, a list of persons
is given, who are to be included.

PALESTINE GOVERNMENT

OFFICE OF LANDS

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Government of Palestine.

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Telegraphic Address "LANDS"

In reply please quote:-

G.2/39 - 2683

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS.

P. O. B. 355.

JERUSALEM.



27th March, 1929

Enclosures: _____

Director
Department of Agriculture
& Forests.

Subject:-El Barrah & El
Magharah pro-
posed Forest
Reserves -Tulkeram.

Reference:-Your No.F/7/2/4
of 2nd February
1929.

Both of the above mentioned
areas are included within the
boundaries of kushans held by
private persons.

Cecil W. ...
DIRECTOR OF LANDS

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Government of Palestine

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS

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Government of Palestine.

Telex Address: "LANDS"

In reply, please quote:-

9523/65-1264

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS.

P. O. B. 356,

JERUSALEM.

Enclosures: _____



7th February, 1929

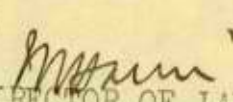
Director
Dept. of Agriculture
and Forest
Jerusalem.

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Subject : El Barrah Forest.

Reference : Your No. E/7/2/4-
256 of 2/2/29.

I have asked the Commission who will soon visit Wady El Hawareth to report on the above mentioned Forest and will let you know in due course.


DIRECTOR OF LANDS

MA/NN

D.D.

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F/2/2/4- 256

2nd February, 1929.
El Barraah & El Magharah
Proposed Forest-Reserves-
Tulkaram.

Reference: Your G.2/39-6132 dated
20th Nov. 1927.

DIRECTOR OF LANDS.

Delay in replying to your letter under
reference is regretted.

2. A copy of letter No. S/65 dated 30th
January, 1929 and copy of extract from the
Tabu Registration Office referred therein is
forwarded herewith.

3. I should be glad if you would advise
whether I may proceed to reservation of the
two areas in question.

for DIRECTOR OF
AGRICULTURE & FORESTS.

Copy to :

" I. of A. & F. N. C.
F/7/13/8.

DY.

On February 1933.
Mr. Barker & Mr. Karpis
Proposed Forest-Roads-
Tollman.
Reference: Your S. 2-312 dated
20th Nov. 1932.

11/12/32-1236

DIRECTOR OF LANDS.

Delay in reply to your letter under
reference is regretted.

2. A copy of letter no. 2/35 dated 30th
January, 1933 and copy of extract from the
Land Registration Office referred therein is
forwarded herewith.

3. I should be glad if you would advise
whether I may proceed to reservation of the
two areas in question.

for DIRECTOR OF
AGRICULTURE & FORESTS.

Copy to :
I. of A. & F. M. C.
11/12/32.

BY.

C O P Y .

No.S/65.

AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY OFFICE
HAIFA
30th January, 1929.

Deputy Director of Agriculture & Forests,

Subject: El-Magharah Forest, Tulkaram
El-Barrah
Reference: Your AG/F/7/203 of 16.1.29
Your Ag/F/7/13/8 of "

Herewith please find an extract from the Tabo-Registration Office, i.e. copies of the Koushan held by the Tayan Family who claims the Barrah Forest; and Samara Family who claims the Magharah Forest Land.

The Barrah Forest, as early stated, is an area at least 2000 dunams of sand dunes covered by a fine wild carob forest.

The Magharah forest is an area of at least 1600 dunams of nothing but sand dunes, covered in parts by sarris.

The latter is a continuation of the former forest; it stretches on the Mediteranean coast, from Khudera lands to Um Khaliid.

I understand the Tayan family is selling their land, and would probably try to include the Barrah forest in the sale.

The Land Department's attention may be brought to this fact.

The delay in sending the copies of the Koushans is regretted, as it was thought that the Registrar of Land at Tulkarem has sent it direct to the Director of Lands, Jerusalem, as a copy of the latter's letter was sent to him.

Sgd. Ragheb

S/Inspector of Agriculture & Forests.

DY

C O P Y

AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY DEPARTMENT

30th January, 1939.

No. 2/36.

Deputy Director of Agriculture & Forestry,

Subject: El-Baharish Forest, Tiffinah.
El-Baharish
Reference: Your letter of 18.1.39
Your letter of 18.1.39

Herewith please find an extract from the Tiffinah-El-Baharish Forest Office, i.e. copies of the Kousman's letter to the Tiffinah Family who claim the Baharish Forest, and a letter from the Tiffinah Forest Office.

The Baharish Forest, as early stated, is an area of about 2000 acres of sand dunes covered by a fine wild scrub forest.

The Baharish Forest is an area of about 1000 acres of scrub forest, covered in parts by a fine wild scrub forest.

The latter is a continuation of the Baharish Forest; it stretches on the Mediterranean coast, from Kousman's land to the Baharish Forest.

I understand the Tiffinah Family is selling their land, and would probably try to include the Baharish Forest in the sale.
The land Baharish's attention may be brought to this fact.

The delay in sending the copies of the Kousman's letter, as it was thought that the Minister of Land at Tiffinah was not interested in the Director of Land, as a copy of the letter, which was sent to him.

Sd/- J. J. J.

Deputy Director of Agriculture & Forestry.



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AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY OFFICE,
H A I F A .

No.S/65.

30th. January, 1929.



Deputy Director of
Agriculture & Forests.

Subject : El-Magharah Forest, Tulkarem.
El-Barrah " "
Reference: Your Ag/F/7/2/4, of 16-1-29.
Your Ag/F/13/8, of 16-1-29.

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dunes covered by a fine wild carob forest.

The Magharah forest is an area of at least
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in parts by sarris.

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former forest; it stretches on the
Mediterranean coast, from Khudera lands to
Um Khalid.

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selling their land, and would probably try
to include the Barrah forest in the sale.

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brought to this ~~effect~~ fact.

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Koushans is regretted, as it was thought that
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it direct to the Director of Lands, Jerusalem,
as a copy of the latter's letter was sent to
him.

M. Rappaport
SUB-INSPECTOR OF AGRICULTURE
AND FORESTS, HAIFA & SAMARIA.

Encls : 1.

Copy to :- El-Barrah Forest file, H.Q., Jerusalem.
Two copies to :- Inspector of agriculture & Forests,
N.D., Haifa.
MR/K.A.

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE
AND FORESTRY, NAIROBI

10.11.53

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REPLY TO LETTER OF
10.11.53

Subject: El-Magharah Forest, Tigray
Reference: Your letter of 10-1-53
Your letter of 10-1-53

Herewith please find an extract from the
Legislation of the, i.e. copies of the
Koussas held by the Tigray family who claim
the El-Magharah Forest, and Tigray family who
claim the El-Magharah Forest land.

The El-Magharah Forest, as early as 1850, is
an area of at least 5000 acres of land
covered by a fine wild scrub forest.

The El-Magharah Forest is an area of at least
1000 acres of land, which is a scrub forest, covered
in parts by acacia.

The letter is a continuation of the
letter of 10.11.53, in which the
Tigray family is mentioned as the
El-Magharah Forest, from Tigray family to
the Tigray family.

I understand the Tigray family is
selling their land, and you probably wish
to include the El-Magharah Forest in the sale.

The Land Department's attention may be
brought to this matter.

The letter is in reply to the copies of the
letter is forwarded, as it was thought that
the Director of Land at Tigray has sent
it direct to the Director of Land, Tigray,
as a copy of the letter is being sent to
him.

SUB-DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE
AND FORESTRY, NAIROBI

Encls: 1.

Copy to: -- El-Magharah Forest, Tigray, N.E. Tigray
The copies to: -- Inspector of Agriculture & Forestry,
J.C. Naito.

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GOVERNMENT OF PALESTINE

Land Form No. 11

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS: "LANDS"

In reply please quote:-
G 2/38 -1067



DEPARTMENT OF LANDS,
P.O.B 356
JERUSALEM.

31st January, 1929

To Director.

Department of Agriculture & Forests

Will you please reply to this Office Letter No. G. 2/38

dated 15th January, 1929

Subject:- El Magharah Forest, Tulkeram.

file.

J. M. M. M.

Director of Lands

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GOVERNMENT OF PALESTINE

Department of Agriculture

Jerusalem

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Will you please reply to this letter by the 1st of June 1948.

Yours faithfully,

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6th Reminder

16th January, 1929.

F/7/2/4-

El Barrah Forest-Tulkaram.

Reference: My 209/2/10 dated 3rd
January, 1929.

Inspector of Agriculture & Forests,
N. C. Haifa.

I should be glad if you would now
reply to my letter under reference and 4
subsequent reminders.

J. J. PEAR

DEPUTY DIRECTOR.

DY.

16th January, 1939.

5th January

Reference: by E.O. dated 3rd
January, 1939.

Inspector of Agriculture & Forests,
R. O. A. S.

I should be glad if you would now
reply to my letter under reference and
subsequent reminder.

DEPUTY DIRECTOR.

W.

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GOVERNMENT OF PALESTINE

Land Form No. 14

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS: "LANDS"

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS,
P.O.B 356
JERUSALEM.

In reply please quote:—

G.2/39 - 503



15th January, 1929.

To Director,

Dept. of Agriculture and Forests

Will you please reply to this Office Letter No. G.2/39

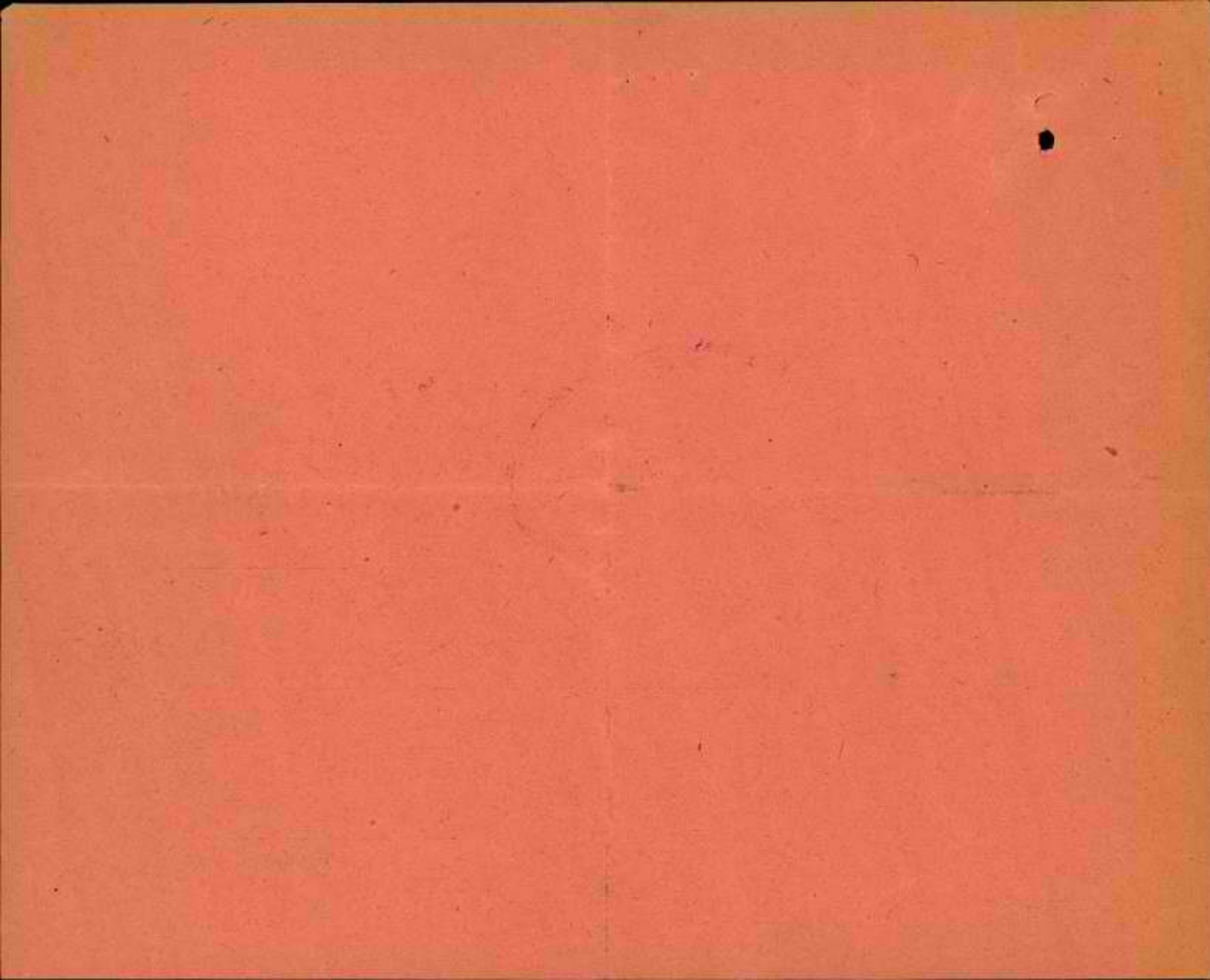
dated 20th November, 1928

Subject:- El Barraah Forest Tulkarem

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Reminded to
file 9 marked TV^u
KJ*

[Signature]
Director of Lands

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209/2/10

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3rd January, 1929 .
El Barrah Forest-
Tulkarem .
Reference: My AG/209/2/10 of 23rd
Nov. 1927 .

Inspector of Agriculture & Forests,
N. C. Haifa.

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subsequent reminders.

DEPUTY DIRECTOR .

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GOVERNMENT OF PALESTINE

Land Form No. 14

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS: "LANDS"

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS,
P.O.B 356
JERUSALEM.

In reply please quote:—

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~~28th~~ December, 1928

1st Reminder

To Director

Department of Agriculture & Forests

Will you please reply to this Office Letter No. G/2/39

dated 20th November, 1928

Subject:- El Barrah Forest Tulkeram.

W. M. Durrant
Director of Lands

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MT. CARMEL,
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Jerusalem.

13th. February, 1928.

Subject El Barnah Forest - Tulkarem.

~~Sub~~-Inspector of Agriculture
and Forests, N.C.,
HAIFA.

Please expedite your ~~reply~~

to my letter numbered as above dated

10th. December, 1927.

F. J. TEAR

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With reference to my letter

No. Ag/209/2/10 dated 23rd. November, 1927:

I should be glad if you could now let me
have the particulars asked for in my letter
under reference.

F. J. TEAR

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23. ~~HAIFA~~ Jerusalem.
November, 1927.

Subject: El Barrah Forest - Tulkarem.
REFERENCE: Your report dated 15.11.27.

Sub Inspector of Agriculture
and Forests, N.C.,
HAIFA.

I attach copy of letter No.
G.2/39-6132 dated 20th. November, 1927 from
Director of Lands, and should be glad if
you would furnish particulars requested
therein.

P. J. TEAR

DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE
AND FORESTS.

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Encs:- 1.

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DEPARTMENT OF LANDS
P.O.B. 356
JERUSALEM.

20th. November, 1927.

Director,
Agriculture & Forests,
Jerusalem.

SUBJECT :- El Barrah Forest - Tulkarem.
REFERENCE:- Your Ag/209/2/10 of 9.11.27.

I should be grateful if your Sub-Inspector would gather further information as to the claim of the Tayan family to the above forests.

2. Copies of the kushans should be obtained and forwarded to this office.

Sd. M. DOUKHAN
for DIRECTOR OF LANDS.

Copy to:-
Registrar of Lands, Tulkarem.

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GOVERNMENT OF PALESTINE.

Telegraphic Address: "LANDS".

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~~MT. CARMEL~~

~~HAIFA~~ Jerusalem.

9th - November, 1927.

Subject: El Barrah Forest - Tulkarem.

REFERENCE: Attached report dated 15.11.27.

Director of Lands,
JERUSALEM.

I should be glad if you would
inform me whether I may proceed with re-
servation of this area. You will note
that a claim by the Tayan family is stated
to exist.

K. J. TEAR

DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE
AND FORESTS.

DR/

Encs:- 1.

15.11.27.

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Director of Agriculture
and Forests,
JERUSALEM.

SUBJECT :- El Barraah Forest - Tulkarem.

This Barraah forest is situated on the sea shore, from the west at Tulkarem Sub District and consists of an area of about 2000 dunams of purely sand dunes and found with wild carob trees that attain the height of 4-5 metres.

2. Care was given by this office to this forest since some years ago and the wasteful and illicite cutting of the carob for fuel purposes was prohibited and the forest now is in very good condition; and now serves as the only supply of wood for agricultural implements for the sub district.

3. The existence and maintenance of the trees served well to the neighbouring agricultural lands to the east, by protecting same from sand move with the prevailing westerly winds.

4. This forest has been actually under the management and protection of the Forest Service since some years ago, and now I beg to request that it should be included in the forest reserves and gazetted for this purpose.

5. The boundaries are as follows:-

West : The Mediterranean Sea.

South: A point on the sea shore and follows a line to the east, bounding the cultivated lands of Abdel Kader Ismail and others belong to Um Khalid until a point on the dune just at the south and east direction.

East : The boundary follows the sand dunes at the edge of the forest and the cultivated lands of Wadi El Hawaris.

North: The boundary starts at a point on the dune at the corner of the eastern and northern boundaries and follows the sand dunes at the edge of the forest and the cultivated land of Wadi el Hawaris to the west direction and then to the northern direction and until it meets Naher (River Iskandaroun) which bounds the forest from the north and north~~west~~ west.

6. Tayan family who have a claim on this forest holds a very vague kushan on agricultural lands at Wadi el Hawaris, intend to sell their lands in Wadi El Hawaris village lands and would in all ~~probability~~ probability include these forest lands in the sale.

I therefore request that this forest be gazetted and included in the reserves and if they are not ~~intend-~~ contended they may bring an action in the courts. But personally I believe that Tayan family will not bring a case in the courts as there is much doubt as to their ownership to even all the cultivated lands in their possession.

My reasons for reserving this forest are:-

- (a) That the claim of Tayan family is very vague.
- (b) This forest is the only forest on which the Sub District depends on for supply of suitable wood for Agricultural ~~pu~~ implements.
- (c) Reservation of the forests and allowing the trees to grow together with the natural grasses forms a good protection to the Agricultural lands to the east of the forests.
- (d) The carob trees could be grafted and will form a suitable source of revenue to the Government.

Sd. M. RAGHEB
SUB INSPECTOR OF AGRICULTURE
AND FORESTS.

DR/

Copy to:-
Inspector of Agriculture & Forests, Haifa.

3. Tavan family who have a claim on this forest holds a very large number of agricultural lands at Vadi el Kharbia, intend to sell their lands in Vadi el Kharbia village lands and would in all probability include these forest lands in the sale.

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SUB INSPECTOR OF AGRICULTURE
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Director of Agric. & Forests.

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Copy to 12 W & F - N.C.
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M. Raghel
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